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PUBLIC NOTICES

Released: February 17, 1999. COMMON CARRIER BUREAU SEEKS COMMENT ON COMPLIANCE DEADLINE FOR HARMONIZATION ORDER REGULATIONS. On August 22, 1997, the Commission issued a Report and Order to amend Part 68 of the Commission's rules, to harmonize U.S. and Canadian regulations governing the manufacture of customer-provided terminal equipment. After receiving numerous queries from manufacturers, the Commission finds that clarification of the compliance requirements of this section may be necessary. The Commission seeks comment on whether the Commission should clarify section 68.2(j)(3) as requiring re-registration of previously registered equipment after May 19, 1999. Comments due March 5; replies March 12. (DA No. 99-342). Contact: David O. Ward at (202) 418-2336 or William Howden at (202) 418-2343; TTY: (202) 418-0484. Internet URL:

https://www.fcc.gov/Bureaus/Common_Carrier/Public_Notices/1999/da990342.wp

Released: February 17, 1999. FCC SEEKS COMMENT ON REQUEST FOR EXPEDITIOUS REVIEW OF THE TRANSFER OF THE LOCKHEED MARTIN COMMUNICATIONS INDUSTRY SERVICES BUSINESS - CC DOCKET NO. 92-237. The Common Carrier Bureau gives notice of the filing by Lockheed Martin IMS Corporation of responses to questions and/or issues concerning the Lockheed Martin Request for Expeditious Review of the Transfer of the Lockheed Martin communications Industry Services Business to a new independent company, Warburg, Pincus & Co. The Bureau seeks comment on the Lockheed Martin Request, taking into account the Lockheed Martin Response and the Mitretek Answers. Comments due March 17. (DA No. 99-347). Contact: Kris Monteith at (202) 418-1520 or Jared Carlson or Jeannie Grimes at (202) 418-2320; TTY: (202) 418-0484. Internet URL:

https://www.fcc.gov/Bureaus/Common_Carrier/Public_Notices/1999/da990347.wp

Report No: TEL-00066S. Released: February 17, 1999. STREAMLINED INTERNATIONAL SECTION 214, CABLE LANDING LICENSE AND SECTION 310(B)(4) APPLICATIONS ACCEPTED FOR FILING (FORMAL SECTION 63.18 AND 1.767). Internet URL:

https://www.fcc.gov/Bureaus/International/Public_Notices/1999/pnin9030.pdf

Report No: 2317. Released: February 17, 1999. OFFICE OF PUBLIC AFFAIRS REFERENCE OPERATIONS DIVISION PETITIONS FOR RULEMAKING FILED. Internet URL:

https://www.fcc.gov/Bureaus/Miscellaneous/Public_Notices/1999/pnmc9013.wp

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MCI COMMUNICATIONS CORPORATION/BRITISH TELECOMMUNICATIONS PLC. Found that the reporting requirements imposed on MCI because of BT's investment are no longer in the public interest and

removed reporting requirements; ordered that all reporting requirements imposed on MCI as a result of BT's 20 percent investment in MCI do not apply to MCI WorldCom. Action by Chief, Telecommunications Division. Adopted: February 4, 1999. by Order. (DA No. 99-290). IB

ADDENDA: The following items, released February 16, 1999, did not appear in Digest No. 30:

NEWS RELEASES

COMPLIANCE AND INFORMATION ACTION - FCC CLOSES AN UNLICENSED RADIO STATION IN MILWAUKEE, WISCONSIN - REPORT NO. CI 99-7. The FCC, in conjunction with the U.S. Marshals Service and the United States Attorney's office, seized radio transmission equipment used in the operation of an unlicensed FM radio station in Milwaukee, Wisconsin, on February 1, 1999. News Media Contact: David Fiske (202) 418-0500. CIB Contact: Pamela Hairston at (202) 418-1160; TTY: (888) 835-5322. Internet URL: https://www.fcc.gov/Bureaus/Compliance/News_Releases/1999/nrci9004.wp

COMMISSIONER TRISTANI NAMES YVONNE HUGHES CONFIDENTIAL ASSISTANT. OPA. Internet URL: https://www.fcc.gov/Bureaus/Miscellaneous/News_Releases/1999/nrmc9006.wp

PUBLIC NOTICES

Released: February 16, 1999. EX PARTE PRESENTATIONS AND POST-REPLY COMMENT PERIOD FILINGS IN PERMIT-BUT-DISCLOSE PROCEEDINGS. Contact: Barbara Lowe, Office of the Secretary at (202) 418-0310.

Report No: 2318. Released: February 16, 1999. PETITIONS FOR RECONSIDERATION OF ACTION IN RULEMAKING PROCEEDINGS. Internet URL: https://www.fcc.gov/Bureaus/Miscellaneous/Public_Notices/1999/pnmc9012.wp

Report No: 2028. Released: February 16, 1999. WIRELESS TELECOMMUNICATIONS BUREAU WEEKLY RECEIPTS AND DISPOSALS.

SPEECHES

STATEMENT OF FCC CHAIRMAN WILLIAM KENNARD ON MINORITY BROADCAST OWNERSHIP. Internet URL: <https://www.fcc.gov/Speeches/Kennard/Statements/stwek910.html>

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PLAINCOM, INC. Denied Plaincom, Inc's petition for reconsideration of the dismissal of its application requesting authorization to operate systems in the 38.6 and 40.0 GHz band in the area of Oxnard-Simi Valley-

Ventura, CA. Action by Chief, Public Safety and Private Wireless Division. Adopted: February 16, 1999. by Ord. on Recon. (DA No. 99-341). WTB